

Whereupon the Court adjourned until the last Tuesday of April next being the thirteenth day of the same month Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and twenty three on which day the Court being sat Comitted against the Said Charles Ratcliff Esq; by his attorney Esq; and Cray that for as much as he has Complied with the Law in Order to an attachment he may have Judgment against the Said William Martin due for his damages Esq; by way of attachment according to art of assembly &c whereupon for that it seems to the Court here that the Said Charles Ratcliff Esq; as Esq; has Complied with the laws as alledged —

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices. &c. the Thirteenth day of  
April Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and twenty three that the Said Charles Ratcliff Esq: Counter  
as at Recovery against the Said William Martindale as well the sum of Twenty two pounds Three Shillings  
(104/361) and four pence his damages by Occasion of the premises as at Costly by the selfe Land Cost and -  
Expended about his Suite by way of Attachm<sup>t</sup>: against his goods, Chaffles lights or Creditts of the Said William  
Martindale according to act of assembly in such Case made and Provided by —

At: Weston Grey - Command was given to his Servt. of Sommersett County that he Should take Isaac Alkin  
L. G. Isaac Alkinson <sup>as</sup>: son of Roventy Parish in the County of Sommersett Cooper if he Should be found in  
his Balswick and him should safe keep so that he might have his Body before the  
Justices of his Lordships County Court of Sommersett to be held at Widling Creek the third Tuesday  
of March then next to answer unto Weston Grey of age of his Captivity before & and that none of the  
Should not fail &c - And the said Weston Grey by Francis Alkin his attorney proceeded  
against the said Isaac Alkinson in the Court as follows -

Somerset County Esq: Isaac Atkinson of Newbury Parish in the County of Somerset Cooper was attacked to -  
Answer unto Wescott Gray of Boston of trespass upon the Case do -

And where upon the Said Wescott by Francis Allen his attorney Complaineth that whereas the Said Wescott the  
twelfth day of July Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and twenty two at the Parish and County aforesaid  
within the Jurisdiction of this Court was Esposed of one Large Bay Horse with a few white hairs in his  
forehead and a black List from his mane to his tail aged from years sometime in a great part of the  
Price of Six pounds of Lawfull money of America as often Cropper horse and being soled of - Es-  
posed the said Horse out of his hands and Espossest Casually lost which said horse afterwards  
at the Parish and County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction aforesaid on the first day of October in this year aforesaid  
to the hands and Espossest of the said Isaac by finding and Recovering the said Isaac knowing the  
horse aforesaid to be the Cropper horse of him the said Wescott and to him the said Wescott of right to belong  
and appertaining but Clothing and prudently Intending him the said Wescott of the horse aforesaid -  
Casteily and Subtilly to deceivie and defraud the horse aforesaid to him the said Wescott hath not delivered all his  
the same to doe the said Isaac by the said Wescott on the fourth day of January in the year aforesaid at  
the place aforesaid within the Jurisdiction aforesaid he was requested but the horse aforesaid afterwards to wait on  
the fifth day of January in the year aforesaid at the place aforesaid within the Jurisdiction aforesaid to his  
own Cropper used to rovert and dispose to the damage of the said Wescott of twelve pounds money  
aforesaid and thereupon he beinge since Es-<sup>c</sup> Allen of the Credy deo Jt Doe R. Rose —